(54) Title: SELECTIVE CALL RECEIVER CAPABLE OF REQUESTING INFORMATION FROM A COMMUNICATION SYSTEM AND METHOD THEREFOR
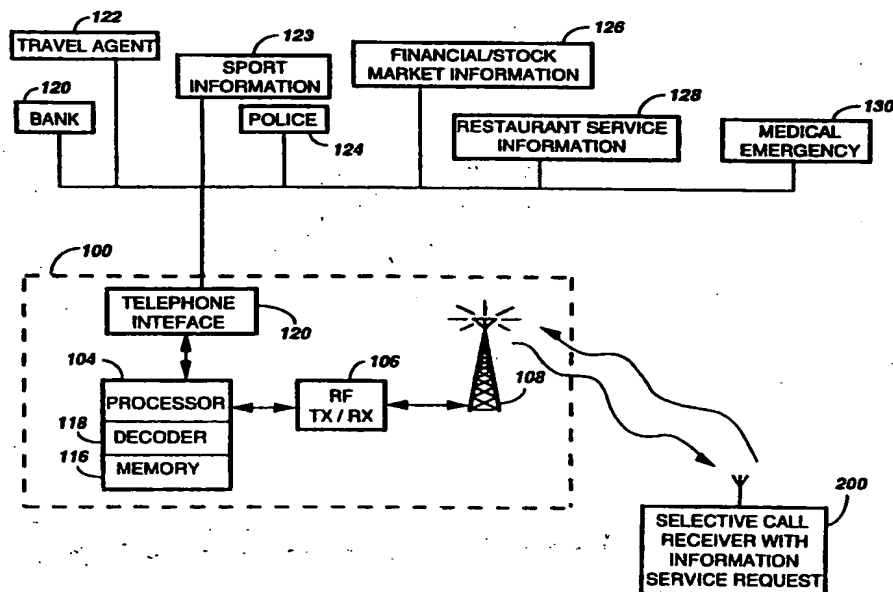
(57) Abstract

A communication system has a base station (100) having memory (116) for storing information within a plurality of information files relating to a plurality of information services (120, 122, 123, 124, 126, 128, 130). A receiver receives an information service request for requesting information within at least one of the plurality of information files from a selective call receiver (200). A transmitter transmits the information requested from within the at least one information service file to the selective call receiver (200). The selective call receiver (200) includes a generator for generating the information service request and a transmitter (212) transmitting the information service request. The selective call receiver receives the information transmitted from the base station (100) in response to the information service request and a display (208) displays the received information.